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SUBJECT: CIVAIR - US-GOI NEGOTIATIONS

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1. WE HAVE NOW RECEIVED WRITTEN CONFIRMATION FROM COMMUNICATIONS MINISTER SALIM THAT WEEK OF FEBRUARY 21 ACCEPTABLE FOR BILATERAL TALKS. ALTHOUGH HE REPEATS IN HIS LETTER THAT HE WOULD PREFER TALKS A WEEK EARLIER, BASED ON SUBSEQUENT CONVERSATION WITH AMBASSADOR, SALIM KNOWS THIS VIRTUALLY IMPOSSIBLE IN VIEW OF USDEL'S MANILA DATES.

2. WE HAVE THUS FAR BEEN UNABLE TO OBTAIN OFFICIAL INFORMATION FROM GOI SOURCES RE SUITABILITY OF DENPASAR AIRPORT FOR 747 AIRCRAFT. HOWEVER, LOCAL PANAM REP HAS LEARNED THROUGH PANAM EMPLOYEES IN BALI THAT WORK IS NEARING COMPLETION ON WIDENING TAXIWAYS AND STRENGTHENING OVER-RUN AREAS SO AIRPORT CAN BE USED BY GARUDA'S DC-10'S. IS OUR ASSUMPTION IS CORRECT THAT LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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WHEEL-LOADINGS FOR DC-10 AND 747 ARE NEARLY IDENTICAL, THEN PRESUMABLY DENPASAR RUNWAYS/TAXIWAYS WILL BE ABLE TO HANDLE 747'S. TERMINAL AREA BADLY NEEDS EXPANSION. HOWEVER, WE UNDERSTAND THERE ARE, ON OCCASION, UP TO THREE 707'S ON THE GROUND AT ONE TIME AT DENPASAR AND IF GARUDA PLANS TO USE WIDE-BODIED AIRCRAFT THERE, IT SHOULD BE DIFFICULT FOR GOI TO ARGUE THAT TERMINAL

FACILITIES PRECLUDE USE OF 747'S. IF TALKS IN MANILA
END EARLY, WE RECOMMEND USDEL PLAN VISIT DENPASAR TO
INSPECT AIRPORT FACILITIES BEFORE US-GOI NEGOTIATIONS.
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